

# WEATHER

Today and Friday — Overcast, continuous snow tonight, light winds. Little change in temperature.  
 Edmonton Temperatures—High Wednesday 25°; overnight low, 12°; estimated high today, 25°; overnight low, 12°; estimated high tomorrow, 25°.  
 Friday Sunrise—8:40. Friday Sunset—4:14.

SIXTY-SEVENTH YEAR

## No Agreement Reached

### British Food Mission To Leave for Home

By Chester Bloom

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—It was learned definitely from highest government authority this morning that the British food delegation is returning to London next Monday or Tuesday without agreement having been reached with Canada. The delegation is scheduled to sail from Halifax on Wednesday, December 17, aboard the Mauretania.

IN THE WORDS of this author, both sides have hammered at each other until they are fed up with the whole subject.

What this means, in effect, is that all British food targets of the past set for production in Canada of beef, bacon, pork, eggs, poultry, cheese and butter are now wiped out.

The wheat contract, however, remains in effect, 100,000,000 bushels annually, \$13.3 a bushel for this crop year, \$2 a bushel for next crop year, and a re-negotiated price for the final year.

The Canadian negotiators tried in vain to get the British to agree to re-negotiate the wheat prices, claiming they were intimately related to an assured "stabilized" market for other food commodities as bacon, beef, and poultry and dairy products.

The British stood fast on the ground that it was simply a matter of British having U.S. dollars which Canada also requires in payment. HIGH AMOUNTS of dollars were the foregoing statement of fact took

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## Details to be Worked Out

### Britain, Russia Agree On Trade Pact Points

LONDON, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The board of trade announced today that agreement had been reached on all the main points of a British-Soviet trade pact, now under discussion in Moscow.

J. HAROLD WILSON, board of trade president who returned from Moscow talks yesterday, reported to Prime Minister Attlee today on the negotiations. He is expected to make a statement in the House of Commons later.

Trade News Agency reported earlier today that agreement had been reached on all the main points of a British-Soviet trade pact, now under discussion in Moscow.

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## Federation of Agriculture Opens Convention



Seventh annual convention of the Alberta Federation of Agriculture opened at the Masonic Temple Thursday morning, with one hundred delegates and visitors attending. Above, members of the AFA executive are seen discussing the directors' report, prior to opening sessions. From left to right are: Roy C. Marler, Bremner, president;

A. T. Baker, Nemesian, second vice-president; and George Church, treasurer. Below are four members of the AFA board of directors. From left to right: J. H. Rhodes of Innis, R. Gornau, Wainwright, H. W. Allen, Huggins, and W. J. Hopkins, Huley.

## Wide Extension Of Works Projects

A public works program, covering the next few years and totalling approximately \$2,000,000 as planned by the city engineer's and waterworks departments, it was learned at the Civic Block Thursday. The program includes extensions of sewer and watermain outlets, street paving, bridge construction, and repairs to bridges, sidewalks, grading, graveling, boulevarding and other works.

In the waterworks department, approximately \$200,000 will be spent on new watermain outlets within the next few years, if manpower and materials are available. The projects will provide outlets for five districts on the north side of the river, and four on the south side.

The districts on the north side it is proposed to serve are Glenora-Westmount; Calder, via 102 street and 129 avenue; a central north-south feeder; North Edmonton via Horden Park and Bellevue, and at least two elevated storage tanks at locations still to be designated.

The south side districts to be served are a feeder from the north-east area via the low level bridge; a central north-south feeder; and at least two elevated storage tanks at locations still to be designated.

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## At Executive Meet

### Decide Legion Has Right to Ban "Reds"

Calgary's Canadian Legion Branch No. 1 has the constitutional right to ban persons who are members of admitted Communist organizations.

THIS WAS DECIDED by executive officers of the Alberta Provincial Command of the Legion, who met here Wednesday under the chairmanship of President S. Carl Hetherington of the Alberta command.

Ralph Henderson, president of Calgary Legion Branch No. 1, testified before members of the provincial executive concerning recent action taken by his branch which resulted in cancellation of membership cards of several members of the Communist Party.

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## Use Jeeps

### Rome Police Charge Mob

ROME, Dec. 11.—(HUP)—Police charged a mob of 1,000 persons with jeeps, arrested 40 agitators in one place and lustily swung their clubs in perhaps 20 other cases today as the Communists paralyzed Rome and 109 other cities and towns in Rome province with a general strike.

THE INTERIOR ministry announced that 109 persons had been arrested during a wave of clashes.

ROME, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Fighting men of Italy's three armed services moved into Rome late today to help police in the capital, ridden by its first general strike since pre-Fascist days.

With Communist squads trying to keep workers from their jobs. In the national assembly, members may run to 125 for the year 1947.

Miss Rogers was commenting on a press dispatch from Toronto which stated the Toronto Hospital Council decided to maintain law and order.

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## U.K. Forces

LONDON, Dec. 11.—(HUP)—The strength of the British armed forces at March 31 next will be 307,000. A. V. Alexander, minister of defence, told the House of Commons yesterday.

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## Dental Chair Does Reverse; Has Vanished

Edmonton's dental chair mystery today is a little more mysterious and Don Roberts, 11415 87 street, can claim the title of Most Puzzled Citizen.

Mr. Roberts, early this week, came home from work one evening to find a nearby dental chair on his front porch.

He and another two men had a busy few minutes moving it so he could go inside.

For a few days the chair sat on the Roberts' doorstep, defying all who tried to find out where it came from, who owned it or even who had left it there.

Wednesday Mr. Roberts posed with his latest possession while The Edmonton Bulletin photographed it.

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## British Block City's Gates

### Arabs, Jews Clash In Sizeable Battle

JERUSALEM, Dec. 11.—(AP)—British troops blocked the gates of Jerusalem's old wall city just before noon today as firing in its ancient maze of streets reached proportions which indicated a battle of sizeable proportions had broken out between Arab and Jewish inhabitants.

CLOSING OF the gates barred further exodus of both Jews and Arabs, who had been frantically moving out their possessions in army trucks throughout the morning.

Several hundred families already have fled the wall area, which in normal times has a population of about 20,000 Arabs, 2,500 Jews and 4,000 others of mixed nationality, mostly Armenians and Greeks.

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## Britain Ends Rule May 15

By HOMER JENKINS

LONDON, Dec. 11.—(HUP)—Great Britain announced today that it plans to end its 36-year rule of Palestine on May 15, and asked the newly-established United Nations Palestine commission not to enter the Holy Land until shortly before that date.

Colonial Secretary Arthur Creech-Jones, in outlining Britain's plans to the House of Commons, clearly feared that arrival of the UN commission in Palestine would be the signal for new disorders—and British troops there would be in the line of fire.

Creech-Jones said that Great Britain would not use its troops to enforce the partition of Palestine, and would not share responsibility with UN until Britain's mandate ends.

He said Britain's responsibility must end all at once—preferably on May 15, if the UN commission agrees. He said all British troops would be out of the Holy Land

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## Many Alberta Nurses Going Across Border

Higher salaries are luring many Alberta nurses to the United States, at a time when the already-existing shortage of trained nurses is causing grave concern to the medical profession and hospital officials throughout the province.

This was stated here Thursday by Miss E. A. Rogers, registrar of the Alberta Association of Registered Nurses, who revealed that at least 75 nurses have left Alberta for the States in recent months.

The number may run to 125 for the year 1947.

Miss Rogers was commenting on a press dispatch from Toronto which stated the Toronto Hospital Council decided to maintain law and order.

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## Brakeman Hurt

CLAREMONT, Alta., Dec. 11.—(CP)—J. E. Grier of Macdonald, Alta., brakeman on the C.P.R. freight travelling to Calgary, had both legs crushed below the knees this morning while getting off the moving train on the Claremont station platform.

It was presumed he tripped and slipped between the train and the station platform.

He also received head injuries and his condition is very serious.

By Aug. 1. Between May 15 and Aug. 1, they would do nothing except protect their own lives and property, leaving the five-nation UN commission responsible for maintaining law and order.

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## Made Premier Designate

### Byron (Boss) Johnson Leader of B.C. Liberals

By GEORGE FINLAY

VANCOUVER, Dec. 11.—(HUP)—A smiling industrialist, Byron (Boss) Johnson, who started his business career as the driver of a horse-drawn dray, last night became leader of the British Columbia Liberal party and premier designate of the province.

He was the choice yesterday

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## 23 Lives Lost

### Six Survive Plane Crash

WESTOVER FIELD, Mass., Dec. 11.—(AP)—The United States Air Transport Command announced today there were only six survivors of the crash of a Douglas C-47 military transport plane which crashed in Labrador yesterday.

A DOCTOR who landed at the wreckage eight miles north of Goose Bay reported that 23 were killed in the crash.

Names of the survivors and dead are being withheld pending receipt of a complete report.

A hard driving wet snow has prevented any large-scale rescue operation but doctors and medical supplies are being landed by helicopter.

A space was cleared within a half mile of the scattered, charred wreckage.

The huge transport plunged flaming to earth in forested, hilly country that could not be reached by air or ground for nearly 24 hours.

A RESCUE PARTY, made up of Canadian and American air forces men, travelled overland with dogs led to reach the wreckage last night. But first reports of the survivors came only after the landing of a radio-equipped helicopter.

## Seen in Southern Skies

### Mysterious Astral Body Could be Encke's Comet

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Australian astronomers speculated today that the mysterious astral body which has flashed across southern skies for the last three nights may be the famed Encke's comet, which at times behaves erratically.

So far the speed and path of the comet have not been predicted.

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## What Am I Saying!

By Frank Morgan

CLOTHES... You know clothes often break the man. His wife's clothes, that is. Which brings me to the thought: There's many a slip 'twixt the dress and the hip!

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## Rush of Christmas Shopping and Shorter Days Add to These City Traffic Hazards

—Photos by Blind

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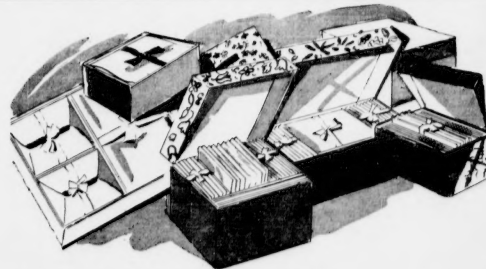
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# How Many Aliases

## Story Rivals Fiction In R.C.M.P. Report

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The fiction-like story of Abraham Schoofsky, an international confidence man with some 40 aliases—one was Antonio Navarro Fernandez—was told by RCMP Commissioner S. T. Wood in his annual report to parliament.

Schoofsky, who arrived in Canada from Barcelona, Spain, in August, 1938, allegedly to purchase war materials for the Spanish republican government, led Canadian and United States authorities a merry chase before he was nabbed in a \$100,000 fraud in Washington. He now is serving a three-year term.

The report says Schoofsky boasted to police of a fortune of \$240,000 to \$480,000, the proceeds of a rum-running and liquor-trafficking business in the United States during prohibition.

"He had, according to his story, 12,000 men in his employ and operated over 1,000 trucks and about 700 cars and many speed boats. He claimed to be a partner of Al Capone and was generally known as 'the Chicago boy'."

In 1939, he was ordered deported from Canada but no foreign government would issue a passport or visa. He was in Winnipeg for a short time, returned to Montreal, was charged with vagrancy—and was released. Then he went to Vancouver, settled in a hotel suite and posed as a Spanish count.

His actions attracted the attention of the Vancouver city police with the result that he was turned over to the RCMP with a strong recommendation that he be interned as a potential enemy of the state, the report says.

"Among his effects at that time, a diary was found containing the names and addresses of many people in Germany, Austria, France, Belgium, Egypt, England, Italy, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia and points in the Mediterranean."

Schoofsky was interned from July 1941 until February 1942. "He offered, after release, to bring into this country a large sum of money from the United States and to purchase \$2,000,000 worth of Canadian victory bonds to make an outright gift to the Canadian government of \$500,000. His offer was, however, ignored."

REBUFFED AGAIN after his release—this time on an application for Canadian citizenship—Schoofsky left Canada and nothing was heard of him for some time. But in September, 1946, he was arrested in Miami, Fla., by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and returned to New York on charges under the National Stolen Property Act in connection with the defrauding of two airlines officials of \$135,000.

Schoofsky had interested "a group of apparently reputable persons in Toronto" in formation of a syndicate to recover and bring to Canada his "mythical wealth" in the United States, the report said.

Information For Russian People

TAKE SUCCESS, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The United Nations is completing arrangements to open an information centre under supervision of a Russian national in Moscow Jan. 15 for dissemination of UN public intelligence and measurement of its reaction on the Russian people. It was learned yesterday. The full extent of Soviet control over the project was not clearly defined.

A high UN official said the Kremlin has agreed to the plan but that details such as personnel and operation procedure still must be worked out. This official said a Russian officer employed by the UN would be in charge and the Soviet government would rule on visa for any of the five assistants eventually to be assigned to run by the UN secretariat.

So far the main channels for getting information on the UN to the Russian people have been through dispatches transmitted to Russia by Tass, the official news agency, and from correspondents at the Moscow newspapers Pravda and Izvestia.

Mounties Hold Vancouver Man

WINNIPEG, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Superintendent C. W. Harrison of the RCMP here announced last night Elmer G. Dunn, 30, wanted in connection with the slaying of a British Columbia mill worker at Mission, B.C., was being held for British Columbia provincial police.

Supt. Harrison said Dunn charged with the murder of Jack Hamilton, 47-year-old mill hand, was arrested Tuesday night along with Katherine Kelly, 30, Vancouver, a material witness.

He said British Columbia police already are in the way of Winnipeg to pick up the couple. Hamilton died of a fractured skull following a drinking party at his home, his body being found on a nearby road.

Col. Snow Takes Over Defence Area

VANCOUVER, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Brig. E. C. Plow, officer commanding the British Columbia defence area, last night left to attend the Canadian Defence College at Kingston, Ont. Col. F. J. Snow of Vancouver and Edmonton will command in Brig. Plow's absence.

No Decision

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The veterans' department has made a survey of all complaints received from university veterans regarding DVA allowances, but no decision has been reached as to whether the veterans will get an increase to make up for the increased cost of living, officials said yesterday.

# War Veteran Dies in Circia

VICTORIA, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Col. James Lighthby, DSO, TD, 87, veteran of two world wars and a Victoria resident for the last 25 years, died in the Veterans' Hospital Tuesday.

Born in Glasgow, of which he was a freeman burgess, Col. Lighthby served throughout the

# Windsor Youth Loses Appeal

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Ronald George Sears, 18, of Windsor, Ont., accused as the "slasher" who killed two men and wounded three others in a series of water-front stabbings in Windsor in the summer of 1946, yesterday lost his appeal against a conviction on a charge of attempted murder.

Christmas Seal your Christmas mail.

# Ontario Court of Appeal Dismisses Appeal

Ontario Court of Appeal dismissed the appeal against the youth's conviction in the attempted butchery-slashing slaying July 3, 1946, of 50-year-old Hungarian-born Joseph Gelesner. The conviction carried a 15-year penitentiary term.

Sears previously had been convicted of murder in the fatal "slashing" of Sgt. Hugh Blackwood Price and was sentenced to be hanged but the court of appeal later quashed the conviction on

# points concerning his alleged statements to police.

Mr. Justice W. D. Roach said in yesterday's judgement that he considered the conviction and sentence on the attempted murder charge "entirely reasonable under the circumstances." Mr. Justice W. T. Henderson and Mr. Justice F. D. Hogg concurred.

The superstition that a broken mirror brings bad luck stemmed from the fact that the shadow or reflection was part of the soul.

# Union Leader Dies

STONEY MOUNTS, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Fred MacDonald, 66, once president of the Amalgamated Mine Workers which dominated colliery labor in the north Cape Breton coal fields, died here last night. He was the ANM leader in 1938 when the independent union was absorbed into the United Mine Workers (U.M.W.) district 26, now the only mine union in the Maritime provinces.

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## Vote Confirms Acting Mayor

VANCOUVER, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Municipal voters yesterday confirmed in office Acting Mayor Charles Jones, occupying Vancouver's mayor's chair since the death last August of Senator G. G. McGeer.

Mayor-elect Jones will fill out the unexpired year of Senator McGeer's two-year term.

Mrs. Effie Jones, runner-up candidate conceded the election more than two hours after polls closed, when with 42 of 51 polling stations accounted for, she was 4,500 votes behind.

Behind the majority race, which Peter MacCallister can win behind but 1,327 votes, electors

were called upon to choose four aldermen, four school trustees and three park commissioners.

Apart from the majority, principal interest focused on the outcome of the proposed new civic centre, for which voters were asked to approve or reject a \$2,500,000 by-law authorizing property purchase, and \$75,000 with which to begin construction.

Only the majority count was near completion late last night.

## And Then What?

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The veterans department really stuck its neck out yesterday by circulating a questionnaire among its four-quid employees asking them how they are getting along in these days of high prices. Officials declined to say what use, if any, would be made of the returns.

## Fire Helps to Clear UN Headquarters Site



Three-alarm fire in New York raged the abandoned slaughterhouse on the East River site which will become the United Nations headquarters. An east wind prevented the flames from spreading to thickly-populated Tudor City, a block away. The blaze started in grease left from plant's operation, firemen said.

## Walcott's Offers Total \$150,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Jersey Joe Walcott stands to make a pretty penny from exhibitions, personal appearances, radio and writing jobs between now and the time he meets heavyweight champion Joe Louis in a return bout, probably next June.

Walcott's manager, Joe Webster, said yesterday that the Camden, N.J., fighter already had received offers totaling \$150,000, and is considering making a South American exhibition tour.

## Czechs Triumph Over Greyhounds

LONDON, Dec. 11.—(Reuters)—The European and Czechoslovakia hockey champions, Lawn Tennis Club of Prague, last night easily won the first game of their English tour, when they defeated the National League team, Harringay Greyhounds, 6-1, at Harringay Arena.

## New Manager

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Frank Shellenback, former coach for Detroit Tigers, St. Louis Browns and Boston Red Sox, yesterday was named manager of the Minneapolis baseball club of the American Association. He also managed San Diego of the Pacific Coast League for five seasons, 1934 to 1938, after a pitching career.

## Tacoma Rockets Stop Royals 7-5

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Dec. 11.—(CP)—Tacoma Rockets last night took a 20 first-period lead and held on to defeat New Westminster Royals 7-5 in a Pacific Coast Hockey League game.

The Rockets held on to second place with their victory.

Doug Adam led the Tacoma club with a brace of goals while Willie Schmidt and Gordie Fawcett each counted twice for Royals.

## Miss Australia of '47



Miss Australia of '47 is 20-year-old Judy Gairford, a professional photographic model and a radio announcer in Sydney. Her measurements are 34-inch bust, 25-inch waist, 35-inch hips. She is five feet six and half inches tall and weighs 126 pounds. She was elected in a nationwide contest and will go on a five-month chaperoned tour of Great Britain and the U.S.

## Indians Move Out Of AHL Basement

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 11.—(AP)—Paul Courteau with three goals, Springfield Indians last night defeated St. Louis Flyers 5-0 to climb out of the cellar of the American Hockey League's eastern division.

Other Indian scorers were Kobussen and Henry. Backer counted twice for St. Louis with Paul Gladu getting the other.

## Hope Union Will Liquidate Debts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The international executive board of the United Mine Workers yesterday continued discussion of problems arising under the Taft-Hartley act without disclosing the nature of their talks.

Freeman Jenkins, representing district 28, did not disclose whether the question of debts contracted by Cape Breton miners during last spring's strike was discussed but said there might be an announcement on the matter today. Debts estimated as high as \$300,000 were incurred with North Sydney merchants during the strike and it has been hoped the international union will arrange to liquidate them.

Mexico has 22 ocean ports.

## Little Piggy Goes to Hollywood



This little piggy went to Hollywood—and Ann Byth. Ann received the pig (named "Oink Oink") as a birthday gift from a mid-western fan. The under was unaware of the fact that Ann lived at the time in a Hollywood apartment house. This little item, of course, raised a housing problem for "Oink Oink" as Ann made plans to have pet boarded at her studio animal farm.

## Arthur Laing Succeeds Knox

VANCOUVER, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Bruce Columbia Liberal party leader followed up their selection of Byron Johnson to succeed Premier John Hart as leader by heading his advice to "dig into youth" for the association's executive.

Arthur Laing, 42-year-old president of the Young Liberal Association of Vancouver, was elected president of the provincial association, succeeding Dr. W. J. Knox of Vancouver.

## British Goods For U.S. Mid-West

MUNKEGON, Mich., Dec. 11.—(AP)—The West Michigan Duck and Market Corp., a Great Lakes firm, announced yesterday an agreement with British interests to bring British-made goods direct to the United States middle west.

Products of British small industries such as motorcycles, bantam cars, English ovens, leather goods and fish linens will be shipped via the St. Lawrence route and the Great Lakes, the announcement said.

Heretofore, the bulk of British-made goods has come via New York and the Gulf of Mexico.

## Flying Santa

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The flying Santa Claus of the light houses, Edward Rowe Snow, warmed up with a trial hop to nearby coastal stations yesterday, preparing for future flights which will carry Christmas packages to Canada's east coast to Florida.

## Black Market

LONDON, Dec. 11.—(AP)—A special three-man committee set up headquarters yesterday for an investigation of Britain's growing food black market which recently swelled to such proportions that the government fears it may break down the country's carefully-balanced rationing system.

Tuberculosis kills more people than any other communicable disease. No home is safe against it. Money raised through the sale of Christmas Sticks will strengthen the preventive program in our community.

## Cut Consumption

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(AP)—A voluntary conservation program designed to cut the consumption of short petroleum and petroleum products by 10 per cent will be sponsored by the oil industry, it was reported last night.

## Dies in Fire

HANEY, B.C., Dec. 11.—(CP)—Trapped in a smoke-filled bedroom, three-year-old Jimmy Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell, was asphyxiated last night when fire damaged his home here, 30 miles east of Vancouver.

## Pay Increases Hospital Help

VANCOUVER, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Five hundred lay workers at Vancouver General Hospital yesterday accepted average monthly pay increases of \$15. William Black, Vancouver business agent of the Vancouver Hospital Employees' Federal Union (FLEU) announced.

Mr. Black said the workers have accepted the offer subject only to minor adjustments. It gives increases ranging from \$10 to \$40 a month.

Negotiations are under way for agreement on wage increases for the hospital's 250 nurses.

They ask a \$14-a-month increase with a reduction of working hours from 48 to 44. They now average between \$140 and \$160 a month, Mr. Black said.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(AP)—President Truman yesterday nominated Maj. Gen. Clifford Cates to be commander of the marine corps with the rank of general. The nomination is for a four-year term starting Jan. 1, 1948.

## Form Association

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The Commercial and Press Photographers Association of Canada was formed at a meeting here last night which decided to send a telegram to Prime Minister Abbott protesting the recent ban on imports of fish bulbs from the United States. John Boyd of Toronto was elected president.

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The Montreal protestant central board announced here last night that it will recruit British teachers to help solve the teacher shortage in Montreal elementary schools.



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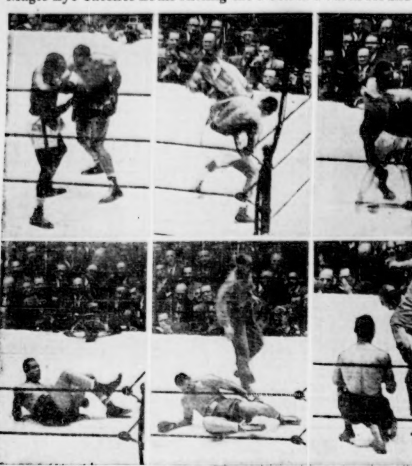


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**LUSHUS PLUM PUDDING**  
Prepare Orange Lushus using two cups of water:  
1 cup Lushus concentrate to be added:  
1 cup raisins  
1 cup chopped nuts  
1 cup chopped dates  
1 cup maraschino or candied cherries (red or green—chopped)  
1 cup cooked peaches (canned)  
1 cup cooked apples (canned)  
1 cup Lushus's cinnamon extract  
1 cup sugar  
Place in large or individual molds. Decorate with cherries and serve on ruffe of whipped cream. (Use 1 cup water, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup Lushus's cinnamon extract. Make 10 to 12 servings.)

### Magic Eye Catches Louis Hitting the Deck in Fourth Round



The magic eye sequence traces the fighting which resulted in Jerry Jones' fourth round knockdown of champion Joe Louis in the Madison Square Garden ring recently, when Louis retained his crown on an unpopular split decision. Starting at top Louis lands a punch to the challenger's face and Walcott cuts loose with a right which drops the champion. Bottom shows Louis struggling to rise and make one up knee as referee Ray Goldstein counts seven and then a few seconds later mix again.

### Armed to Enter Santa Anita Race

ARCADIA, Calif. Dec. 11.—(AP)—Headed by the Coliseum Farm's champion Armit, making his second try for the far prize, 116 candidates have been nominated for the 11th running of the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap Feb. 28.

The race, scheduled by the Los Angeles Turf Club yesterday, includes an imposing array of horses of 34 stakes during this last season and into such competitors as Countess Bomba, Birdie Flower, Perfect, Countess, Double Jay, Fox Trust, with pleasure and Mrs. Kimo.

### Starlet Cagers Win 4th Straight Start

The Starlet hoopers of the City Ladies' Basketball League, extended their winning streak to four straight games last night, panning an embarrassing 36-2 defeat on the winless Varsity Juniors at the Eastwood gym.

In other action, Mortons "B" edged City Service 26-24, and the senior Mortons quintet scuttled Pandas 20-17.

Continuing to "bat" at a perfect 1000 cts, Starlets walked a 16-1 lead in the first quarter, added 12 more in the second, and rode the lead for another 14 after the breakers. Varsity's other Point came in the frame.

PAT STEPHENS was the big tick in the Starlet machine, looping the leather through the basket for nine points. Other "shooters" were Joyce Weatley, Gloria Brown and Camille Holzman, who equally split 16 points.

BELLA MARSH was a blazing 10-point scoring pace while Mortons' own fighting defender, Edna, scored for a victory over City. Clara Corbelli also was a "made cut" for the winners, firing 10 points through the mesh.

Gloria Solome and Doris Richardson spanned the Service quintet with nine and six points respectively.

The game, a tip and tucker, which saw the team playing twice, was by far the "toughest" ever.

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### Sport Ramblings

By BERT GREER

"... And may the better man emerge triumphant!" introduced Joe Louis and Jerry Jones last night before they squared off for their world heavyweight scrap—a fight that will probably live longer in the memories of the ring fans than some of the former champs.

Whether the announcer got his wit or not, we'll probably never know, but after viewing the film of the controversial classic we were left as completely in the dark as most of the ringside fans.

Live news of Edmonton alleged fight experts couldn't make up their minds and suggested that a draw might be the result.

What we saw was a blow-out, completely confined Joe Louis stalling, a smaller man who was as elusive as a greasy pig, Jerry Jones, who got one of his "champion" punches and when the champion landed, on ground him with a powerful swing, the stocky challenger swung into the fray with both fists.

It was amusing to watch him punch Louis out of gear by standing within striking distance just so long and then stepping back and to the side, enabling a split second before Louis intended to let a haymaker fly.

Joe Jones, who was Jimmy Jones, manager of Vern Keno, the Canadian heavyweight who had been called a "cutter." He obviously had Louis baffled, for the champion never knew what to expect.

Probably the biggest surprise for both Joe and the ring fans was that Louis, who had been expected to make his shorter opponent bleed in the 12th, was in the first round, but Louis was the first rounder, but Louis was the first rounder, but Louis was the first rounder.

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### Tobin Surprises McCool

By BERT GREER

CALGARY, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Announcement from Chicago by Bill Tobin, of Chicago Black Hawks, that his club was interested in obtaining the services of goaltender Frank McCool came as a surprise to the Calgary Canadian.

McCool, winner of the Calder trophy for his play with Toronto Maple Leafs in 1944-45, had been offered by the Hawks for \$10,000 for finishing this year with the Montreal Canadiens.

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### Vancouver Loses In Third Period

By BERT GREER

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Los Angeles Monarchs last night staged a comeback to win 3-2 over Vancouver Canucks in the third period of overtime and defeat the visitors, 6-5, in a Pacific Coast League hockey game.

The 25th game of the season, the Monarchs put on the Canucks in the third period of overtime and defeat the visitors, 6-5, in a Pacific Coast League hockey game.

### Red Wings Deadlock Leafs In Rugged Tilt

By BERT GREER

DETROIT, Dec. 11.—(CP)—The league-leading Toronto Maple Leafs and the revamped Detroit Red Wings battled to a 2-2 tie in a National Hockey League game last night at the Detroit Arena.

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# Mercurys Present "Rapid-Fire" Show

## Spurt Features Scrambly Win Over Canadians

Travelling at top speed and carrying "rapid-fire" attacks against a confused band of Westsylvian Canadians at the arena last night, the Waterloo Mercurys rapped in three goals in 56 seconds and then scored a 5-2 victory in a Northern Alberta Inter-mediate Hockey League game.

The old firm of Harry Allen, Marsh Darling and Billy Dawe combined to lead the team to a scoring mark for this season, but it was far short of the record set last year when the New Method Mercurys rapped in three goals in 56 seconds and then scored a 5-2 victory in a Northern Alberta Inter-mediate Hockey League game.

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## BULLETIN

### Win 3-1 In Listless Match

### Caps Creep Forward By Topping Quakers

REGINA, Dec. 11.—(CP)—Regina Caps last night advanced within two points of the pace-setting Calgary Stampeders in the Western Canada Senior Hockey League by turning back the tall-end Saskatoon Quakers 3-1 in an often listless, draggy contest. The victory gave Caps 20 points.

The clubs were deadlocked 1-1 before 3:00 fans at the end of the first period in goals by Bill Kyle of Caps and Bill Smith of Quakers. Caps then crept forward by turning back the tall-end Saskatoon Quakers 3-1 in an often listless, draggy contest. The victory gave Caps 20 points.

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### AAU Proposes Hall of Fame For Amateurs

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.—(CP)—A proposal that Canada inaugurate an amateur hall of fame, with sports greats of past years, the present and the future will find a place in the new Canadian Amateur Athletic Association of Canada.

In a letter to the Canadian Press, Macdonald said that as AAU of C president he was "proposing to all amateur sport governing bodies in Canada that they should inaugurate a Canadian amateur athlete hall of fame to which will be elected a carefully selected group of Canada's amateur athletes greats down through the years since amateur sport first placed on an organized basis in the Dominion."

"I INVITE all interested amateur sport executives and the country to correspond with me in this subject," Macdonald wrote, when a sufficient amount of interest is received a meeting will be arranged to go into the matter carefully.

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### Warwick Squares Match

### Lach's "Hat Trick" Gives Habitants Tie

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—(CP)—New York Rangers defeated Montreal Canadiens 1-0 in a bruising, hard-fought National Hockey League game.

In a contest that left 14,000 fans at Madison Square Garden dripping with excitement at the end, the Canadiens three times took the lead as Lach created the spark for the Montreal attack in the absence of his famous line mate, Maurice Richard, sidelined with a knee injury.

But the Rangers, undefeated in four games against the Canadiens this season, salvaged a victory in the fourth period of overtime.

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**THE ANSWER WILL ALWAYS BE 198**

**TAKE ANY 3 NUMBERS IN SEQUENCE**  
Example...123  
Reverse...321  
Subtract...123  
= 198

## Junior Sextets Clash Tonight

"Comet" LeFevre's high-flying EAC's will endeavor to halt their opponent lead in the City Junior Hockey League tonight, when they clash with South Side in the 11:30 a.m. game at the Edmonton arena. The second-place Maple Leafs will meet Candidates in the other finale. First game will start at 8.

The EAC sextet garnered the one-point lead, whipping Leafs 4-3 in a hectic battle last Saturday. Jimmy Graham's South-Siders are currently holding down third position on the league ladder, two points behind Leafs, who have amassed a total of nine. The youthful Candidates are in the bottom spot with two points.

**Purchase Hurler**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Pittsburgh Pirates yesterday announced the purchase of pitcher Homer Hurler from Cincinnati Reds for the waiver price of \$10,000. The 33-year-old right-hander won one and lost nine last year.

## "No Money In Trade" Boston Red Sox Lure Senators' Stan Spence

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The Joe Cronin-led McCarthy combination offered another Red Sox bombshell on the alarmed American League yesterday by luring outfielder Stan Spence from Washington for second baseman Al Kouzar and outfielder Leon Culberson.

Although this deal involving a minor league infielder and a round-the-mill outfielder for an established regular would seem to call for a cash outlay by Boston, general manager Cronin of the Red Sox insisted no money changed hands.

**ADDITION** of Spence following the purchase of shortstop Vern Stephens and pitcher Jack Kramel and Ellis Kinder from St. Louis would seem firmly to establish Manager McCarthy's Six as "the club to beat" in 1935.

McCarthy said he probably would alternate Spence, a .229 hitter with Washington in 147 games with Sam Rice, Boston's regular sensation of 1937. Spence hits left and right, an ideal switch combination.

**IN RETURN** for Spence who is 32, the Sox gave a likely-looking young infielder to Washington in Kouzar who hit .340 for the Red Sox Southern Association farm at

**Intermediate B Hockey Tonight**  
All eight teams in the Intermediate B league will be in action tonight. Utility Sales plays at Jasper Place, Army at Highlands, Eastwood against Cloverdale at Sooma Centre and 10:45 Maple Leafs at St. John's College ice.

**Pee Wee Workout**  
All pee wees of the South Side Athletic Association will hold a hockey practice from 8 to 10 o'clock on Friday night at St. John's college and 100 street rink.

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Added: DONALD DUCK COLOR CARTOON

Last Times Today: "Katie Brown" & "Mad as a Hatter"

## Doug Bentley In Spotlight

## Hawks Find Brimsek Easy In 6-5 Victory

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The husky Chicago Hawks last night found the usually stubborn goalie Frankie Brimsek an especially personable individual and whipped Boston Bruins 6-5 before 15,000 fans in a National Hockey League game. In their last three starts against the Bruins, Hawks have won two, tied one and have beaten Brimsek with 15 goals.

It was a swift-moving, closely-contested game all the way, with the Hawks holding the lead from 2:22 of the opening period, when Frank Hughes scored the first goal.

THAT MARGIN was increased to 2-0 five minutes later on George Green's goal. From there the Chicago edge was first a goal, then two and then a goal again. It was 5-3 at the end of the first period, the last occasion being at 17:18 of the third period when Smith's shot pained the Boston goalie for a full count. It was 5-3 at the end of the first period, and 5-3 at the second. Only four goals were handed out, three of which went to Chicago.

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High single and triple—Roy, 200 and 100. High single and triple—Roy, 200 and 100.

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## Under Displaced Persons Contract

### Former Professor of Languages Working Out Term as Woodsman

By NENEATH LAMB  
UPSALE, Ontario, Dec. 11.—

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## In Zone of Eastern Germany

### Russians "Avid Dollar Chasers"

By RICHARD KASISCHKE  
BERLIN, Dec. 11.—(CP)—

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## One Employee Dismissed

### Tipping Waiter Taboo With Govt. of Sask.

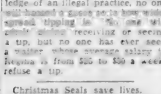
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## Young Prince of Sweden



Christmas Seals save lives.

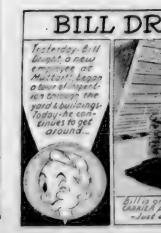
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At first sign of a chest cold, cough, or croup, take MUSTEROLE. It is a powerful expectorant and soothes the inflamed throat.

## BILL DRIGHT



## Three Slayings, Many Theft Cases

### Jump in Northland Population Reported Cause of Crime Increase

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—(CP)—

A sudden jump in population in the north has brought an increase in crime in Canada's vast Yukon and Northwest Territories, Commissioner S. T. Wood of the RCMP says in his report to Parliament.

IN THE YEAR ended March 31, the RCMP handled 490 cases in the territories, compared to 360 during the previous 12 months.

Several crimes included three slayings, 100 thefts and 24 cases of breach and covering.

Two of the slaying victims were Eskimos, at first reported to have died of heart disease and suicide.

THE SLAIN PRISONER was George Peter Leonard Nord, 30, a prospector, who was later found dead in his tent on Richardson Island.

The report says that during the winter of 1944-45, Nord discovered some likely-looking gold-bearing quartz deposits and showed Potter the samples.

STOCKHOLM.—(CP)—Applauded for patients have been treated successfully in this country. Before the war, approximately 100 patients were treated annually.

One of the major jobs to which the hospital staff were assigned was to maintain the hospital's reputation for excellence.

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and staked the claim which Nord had "discovered". When Nord found out about this he "broke over it."

He had taken to heavy drinking some days before the shooting and at the time he killed Nord he was intoxicated, the report adds.

THE SLAYINGS of Sadie Knapa and John Ayala, both Eskimos, were related. Their families had been living on Richardson Island, N.W.T., for some time before reports were heard at the RCMP Co-operation detachment in January, 1946, that Ayala had died of heart disease.

Previous to that, Sadie Knapa's death had been reported as from natural causes.

In February, 1946, police returned Ayala's body. It was determined he had been shot in the head. His wife told a story that led police to an Eskimo named George Hagoak, whom she said, had killed her husband.

THE RCMP constables, with Ayala's body on a sled and went in search of Hagoak. They found him dead in his tent on Richardson Island.

"He had committed suicide when he learned that the police were after him. Our constables found the grave of Hagoak's wife Sadie Knapa, and on examining the body found that she also had been murdered by being shot. The reason was the same as in the case of Nord."

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**BILL DRIGHT "He Gets Around"**  
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## Decorations Presented By Viscount Alexander

By KAY REX  
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## New Canadians on "Ship of Hope"



New Canadians to the number of two displaced persons and other immigrants, will arrive in this country with each voyage of the Canadian Pacific liner, the *Albatross*, which is scheduled to leave Vancouver above (left) alongside her returning berth at Seaside, Que., when the entire service early in 1948. Formerly the German vessel *Albatross* of the Hamburg-America Line, she was captured virtually undamaged by Allied forces in a Norwegian fjord, where she had acted as repair and "mother" ship to U-boats seeking their tail of shipping in the North

Atlantic, and handed over to Canada as part reparations payment. Master of the liner is Captain G. O. Baugh, OBE, RD, seen at right in the ship's wheelhouse holding the *Albatross* flag, which was found aboard the ship. Capt. Baugh is himself a veteran of the battle of the Atlantic and quite possibly during the war, tangled with some submarines which had been based alongside his new flagship for marking ships and water tank soundings seen behind the captain, still carries its German word—*Albatross* Pacific Photo

## Sixteen Charges Bring 3-Year Term

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Dec. 11.—(CP)— Sentence totalling 48 years was imposed on Howard H. Oliver, 40-year-old former manager of the Canadian government's *Albatross* branch at Cardston, when he appeared in RCMP court before Police Magistrate T. O'Brien. Oliver had been sentenced to three years imprisonment in Prince Albert penitentiary on each of the charges, which included one of theft of \$92,147 from the treasury branch at Cardston, fourteen charges of forgery and one charge of falsifying a "false balance sheet."

Previously, Oliver had admitted to stealing the large sum of money between January, 1945, and September, 1947, when he gave up his position as manager of the treasury branch at Cardston. He also admitted fourteen charges of forgery and one charge of falsification of records. He had been secretary of the Canadian Red Cross Association, and the forgery counts admitted involved the forging of names of members of the association.

In passing sentence, the magistrate mentioned the fact that it was a first offence, and also that it was to the time of the commission of these offences, he had held an irrefragable character.

## Took Four Rag Dolls, Sentence Suspended

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—(CP)— Tremaine McGowan said in court yesterday he could not work at a job that required standing. He did not tell the court the reason, that the third time he was tormented as an assistant clerk by the merchant navy, permanent damage was done to his legs in the six days he clung to a raft swept by rigid waves in the north Atlantic.

He was charged with taking four rag dolls and a couple of pieces of cloth from a toy factory.

## Offers To Act As Guinea Pig

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—(CP)— A 41-year-old man, convicted 12 times on indictments involving "voluntary" manslaughter, offered yesterday to act as a "guinea pig" to be found for a cure could be found for habitual offenders.

Sentenced to six months and a \$50 fine or an additional six months on four new charges, the defendant, a married man, "was" he had undergone a "major" operation five years ago in an unsuccessful effort to find a cure.

Defence counsel said a *Chesland* surgeon had performed brain operations with success on similar cases and the defendant was willing to undergo the operation.

Magistrate J. L. Preston accepted the offer to the operation after serving his six months.

He explained that, working at 30 cents an hour, five hours a night, he could not provide for his children at Christmas. The rag dolls were for them. The cloth was for their clothing.

The magistrate suspended sentence.

## Dozen Claims Heard in 3 Days

KAMLOUS, B.C., Dec. 11.—(CP)— Overable by the custodian of the *Albatross*, the Japanese government caused yesterday to hold the Japanese property claims commission.

Speaking on the claim of Fukujiro Koyama, former fisherman from Unalaska, B.C., who asked additional payment of \$100 from the 4th sale of his trawler and fishing gear. (His claim was rejected.) Koyama had been paid about \$17 less than he was entitled to receive.

The trawler was left in custody of the Canadian Navy at the time of Kamloops' evacuation, and a year later, it was found that an *Albatross* was sailing, reducing the vessel's value.

In making repayment for missing equipment, Koyama had been paid to the ship's purchaser rather than to Koyama.

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## Miss Maclean Pledges Vows

First Presbyterian Church  
The wedding of the young couple, Miss Maclean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Maclean, of Lacombe, and Mr. Thomas Maclean, son of Mr. G. H. Maclean, of the same place, was celebrated at the First Presbyterian Church, Lacombe, on Saturday, Dec. 12, 1936. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Thomas Maclean, and the groom by Mr. G. H. Maclean. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Maclean, pastor of the church. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, groomsmen, and a large number of guests. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

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Miss Maclean is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Maclean, of Lacombe. She is a graduate of the University of Alberta. The groom is a son of Mr. G. H. Maclean, of the same place. He is a graduate of the University of Alberta.

A large number of guests were present at the wedding. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride and groom were accompanied by their parents and a large number of friends.

The couple left later for a honeymoon trip to Lacombe and Calgary. They will be residing at the home of the bride's parents.

Out-of-town guests included, the Misses Iris and Betty Hopkins, and Mrs. Fred Smith, of Edmonton. The bride and groom were accompanied by their parents and a large number of friends.

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## Sister Nations Shabby Treatment

OTTAWA, Dec. 11. — (CP) — Howard Green (P.C.—Vancouver South) criticized in the House of Commons last night the fact that an embargo had been placed on goods from commonwealth countries and from countries which had borrowed money from the Dominion.

Speaking in continued debate on a resolution for approval of the Geneva trade agreement, Mr. Green said the embargo was imposed simply because Canada had an adverse trade balance with the United States.

Mr. Green said Canada had "shabby" treated sister commonwealth nations and other friendly countries by extending against them embargoes that were applied to correct the adverse balance in trade with United States.

Alair Steward (C.P.—Winnipeg North) said he would like to see the agreement referred to the banking and commerce committee. He expressed fear that Canada's chronic adverse balance of trade with the U.S. might force this country into a bilateral trading arrangement with that country.

Mr. C. B. G. (P.C.—Nanaimo) said the agreement would mean that the British Columbia salmon cannery industry will lose much of its preference in the British, Australian and New Zealand markets.

Only this year the government had opened the U.S. market to fresh salmon and the equivalent of 100,000 cases of salmon had gone to American canneries. If the trend continued there would be widespread unemployment in the B.C. canneries.

## Passenger Trains Collide Head-On

NEW BRUNSWICK, Tex., Dec. 11. — (AP) — Two Missouri-Kansas-Texas passenger trains collided head-on near here last night and exploded into flames, killing two trainmen, injuring nine other persons and leaving three men missing. The two trains ran together ten miles south of here at 11:43 p.m. CST, the locomotives striking on top of each other and front ends telescoping.

Dead were Jack B. Coleman, fireman of Waco, Tex., about 38, and George W. Stainbrook, a trainman from San Antonio, Tex. Missing was Engineer Roy Calaway, about 60, of Sanville, Tex., and a Negro porter.

Nickey Pattillo, special agent for the railroad, said the two engines "evidently got their orders mixed up."

Portions of the trains were engulfed in flames following the collision and pieces of the engine boilers were blown several hundred yards into a nearby field. Three of the eleven cars on the northbound train were destroyed and five of the other cars burned.

In Cuba, women wear a clock beetle as an ornament as it gives off a brilliant green light and looks like a living emerald.

## AFA Members Told Prairie Wheat Yield Shows Drop This Year

The 1947 estimated prairie wheat yield indicates a big drop from the 1946 totals, according to directors' reports Agriculture's seventh annual convention in the Masonic Temple Thursday morning.

According to the report, the wheat crop this year is estimated at 310,000,000 bushels, compared with 400,000,000 bushels in 1946. Data dropped from 276,000,000 bushels to 194,000,000 bushels, and barley from 14,000,000 to 13,100,000 bushels. However, both flax and rye show increases of approximately 50 per cent.

It was stated in the report that the lifting of ceilings on course grains has completely upset the Canadian livestock program. Un-les immediate action is taken by Ottawa to establish a fair relationship between the two countries, grain prices, it is believed, the livestock industry may receive a setback from which it will take years to recover.

Stocking factors also reported actual inspected livestock slaughtering in Alberta in 1947 show a 25 per cent decrease, compared with 1946. This is despite the fact a provincial census seems to indicate a considerable increase in livestock population.

RISING COSTS of feed grain and labor, and reluctance of cattlemen to finish cattle at present price levels, is blamed for the decline in marketings.

It is expected amalgamation plans for the Alberta Farmers' Union and the United Farmers of Alberta will be among questions receiving priority during the two-day convention. It was recently announced by the UFA board that no progress was being made on the proposed merger. At the same time that organization announced suspension of negotiations.

At its annual convention last week the APU proposed to conduct a plebiscite of the UFA and UFA members on the question of a merger. A joint convention will be held if a 60 per cent vote favors the amalgamation.

Addresses of welcome were delivered by Premier Ernest Manning and Mayor Harry D. Ainlay.

## Gets Jail Term

### Joy Riding Charge

A joy riding charge brought a six month prison term to Wilfred Moskan, who is now serving six months for a theft conviction in November, when he appeared before Magistrate A. L. Miller in city police court Thursday. The new term will run concurrent with the one he is now serving.

Particulars show that on Nov. 18 the accused took a car owned by Fred Romanuk, 1229 St. Mary's drive, around that night and kept it in his own garage. The following day he abandoned the vehicle in the vicinity of 112 avenue and 96 street. The car was found there and the driver was fortunate not to be charged with theft of the auto.

Shipment of wheat goes regularly at the rate of 15,000 tons a month as a gift to the people of Greece from Canada.

## Fly Reindeer Out of Alaska

NOME, Alaska, Dec. 11. — (AP) — Ten of Santa's reindeer flew through northern skies yesterday en route south to the United States for a job Christmas week. The 10 animals flew to Anchorage, an Alaska Airlines plane first stop on their trip to Detroit where they will be displayed in a "Santa's work shop" at Dearborn, Mich.

They will be flown to Seattle and then east. Agents of Red Butters, Cold Water, Mich., the animals at Colon, 75 miles east of Nome, said they were yesterday. It was believed the permit was first granted in many years to take fly reindeer out of Alaska.

## Panama Airfields Leased by U.S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. — (AP) — A new agreement with Panama for the lease of 14 airfields and other military sites largely run out today after the U.S. government plan for air defense with a ring of distant bases.

It called by the Panamanian assembly which has been summoned for session Friday, the agreement promises to safeguard the Panama Canal to a degree American officials consider satisfactory.

The Pacific approaches to the United States already have been sealed by a United Nations agreement giving the country sole trans-shipment over the former Japanese-mandated islands.

And in the far north, most vital pathway over the top of the world to Canada and the Soviet Union are co-operating closely on defense measures under a formal agreement to extend their wartime joint planning.

## Auto Hits Flatcar; One Man Injured

Skidding for a considerable distance on the icy road, an auto driven by George Eicher, 1030 50 street, collided with the side of a flatcar on the street about 5:45 p.m. Wednesday and caused injury to one of four passengers in the car.

Frank Armstrong, 2010 89 street, was taken to the General hospital suffering cuts to the forehead. Eicher told police he was driving east on the avenue and when between 111 and 110 streets he saw a flatcar across the road. He applied his brakes but skidded into the flatcar.

In another traffic accident Wednesday about 7:10 p.m. Alex Goren, 1820 20 street, a credit, suffered facial cuts and a broken arm. Police said that Goren's car collided with an auto at the intersection of 63 street and 118 avenue.

## Civil Servants To Ask Increases

Fifteen of the 82 resolutions to be submitted to the annual convention of the Civil Service Association of Alberta, which opens Friday morning in the Macdonald hotel, deal with requests from the various branches of the association for salary adjustments. It was learned today.

Most of the resolutions acknowledge that the recent increase of civil servants' salaries were adequate at the time to meet the increased cost of living, but state that they have not kept pace with rising prices since that time.

Mayor Harry Ainlay will welcome the delegates to the convention, speaking in behalf of the City of Edmonton. Premier Ernest Manning will also welcome the delegates, speaking for the provincial government.

Friday morning's session will close with a talk on health insurance by Dr. W. Bramley-Moore, registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta.

A banquet and dance on Friday night will conclude the first day's proceedings. On Saturday, officers will be elected.

## Six Known Dead In Mine Blast

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Dec. 11. — (AP) — A gas explosion in the Franklin Colliery of Lehigh Valley Coal Company today killed six men and injured at least three others.

A company spokesman announced that six were known to have perished in the underground blast. Mine rescue crews are en route and were called to the anthracite colliery shortly after noon. The mine is located just outside the city.

Reporters were told that eight mine workers were in the section when the explosion occurred.

## Should Consider Bank Deposit Boxes

Chartered banks in Edmonton should give consideration to the provision of outside deposit boxes for the convenience of their customers, Mayor Harry Ainlay said Thursday.

He was commenting on the recent epidemic of safe blowings in the city which has caused some losses to merchants. He said it would appear these losses are due to merchants being compelled to keep their cash in banks. This city has now grown to the size that modern banking facilities should be provided to meet the situation. Taking the funds home is not the answer. Down-town banks should be providing outside deposit boxes as is done in many other cities. This method does not necessitate the over-time presence of banking staffs," Mayor Ainlay stated.

## Talks at Standstill Cabinet to Discuss Food Negotiations

OTTAWA, Dec. 11. — (CP) — Failure of British and Canadian trade experts to reach agreement on food contracts likely will be the chief problem to be discussed at a meeting of the cabinet today, it was learned last night.

The British mission, headed by Sir Percival Liosching, has been in the capital nearly three weeks, but little headway has been made toward negotiating contracts for bacon, beef, mutton and eggs. A Liberal caucus yesterday was left with the impression that talk had reached a standstill because of the insistence of Sir Stafford Cripps, chairman of the British exchange, that the credit Britain still has in the Canadian loan—\$31,000,000—be used to buy United Kingdom exports rather than for importation of food.

Britain wants to use this credit and any American dollars it may have available to import and buy copper, steel, lead, aluminum and perhaps leather, to be fabricated in Canada. The view is that the British people can get along with the foods they are able to buy for sterling.

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The B.C. mining industry, however, may not set another large new record in 1947. It would estimate a considerable part of its exports on credit while it has to pay for much of its imports from the United States with cash.

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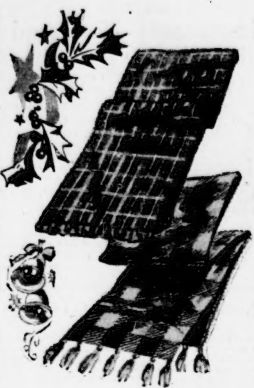






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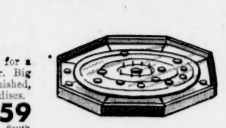
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